

## Message Text

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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 4132

UNCLAS JOHANNESBURG 1293

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: (LATEGAN, ELSIE CORNELIA)

SUBJECT: ID

REF: JOHANNESBURG 1241, STATE 209176

1. SOUTH AFRICAN AUTHORITIES ARE ABSOLUTELY CERTAIN THAT PERSON THEY HAVE DETAINED IS NOT LATEGAN. FRIENDS OF LATEGAN HAVE MADE SWORN STATEMENTS THAT THIS PERSON IS NOT SHE. THE REAL ELSIE LATIGAN IS A PROMINENT SOUTH AFRICAN AND A NATIVE AFRIKAANS LANGUAGE SPEAKER. THIS PERSON DOES NOT UNDERSTAND A WORD OF AFRIKAANS.

2. CONSULAR OFFICER COMPARED HIS HEIGHT (5'8") WITH THAT OF UNKNOWN WOMAN. SHE WAS AT LEAST SIX INCHES SHORTER EVEN WITH MEDIUM HIGH HEELS. LATEGAN'S PASSPORT DOES LIST HEIGHT AS 5'7".

3. UNKNOWN WOMAN HAD IN POSSESSION HALF DOZEN HOTEL KEYS FROM FLORIDA AND ONE FROM CANADA.  
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